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For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING RACK GUIDE BASE BODY

IN RACK-AND-PINION TYPE STEERING APPARATUS AND

RACK GUIDE

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Of Correction

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REQUEST FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

The patentee in the above-identified patent hereby requests that the Patent and Trademark Office issue an official Certificate of Correction pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.322 for the following error made by the Patent Office.

The title is incorrectly shown as "Method of Production Rack Guide Base Body in Rackand-Pinion Type Steering Device and Rack Guide". It should read: "Method of Manufacturing Rack Guide Base Body in Rack-and-Pinion Type Steering Apparatus and Rack Guide" as stated on the Corrected Filing Receipt mailed February 24, 2006 and the Notice of Allowance mailed September 6, 2007.

Since the error arose on the part of the Patent and Trademark Office, no fee is believed necessary for securing issuance of the Certificate.

Attached hereto is a draft Official Certificate of Correction for use by the Patent and RECEIVED-USPTO Patern Publication Trademark Office correcting the above-identified matter.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any <u>deficiency</u> in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140 under** Order No. <u>PTB-1207-117</u>. A <u>duplicate</u> copy of this sheet is attached.

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